# IS FAR FROM REASSURING

Situation in Bulgaria Grows More Critical.

MURDER OF THE CONSUL

This is Bound to Aggravate an Already Serious Situation-The Czar Has Demanded Exemplary Punish. ment of Oriminal.

(By Associated Press.)

LONDON, August 10.-The state of affairs in Macedonia was brought up in the House of Commons to-day, but Premier Balfour declared he was unable to give any satisfactory assurances regarding the situation. The latest news reaching the ent, he says, was far from

assuring.

Mr. Balfour said everything possible would be done to impress the Porte with the necessity of keeping its troops well in hand, and every assistance would be given to the Porte in carrying out that object. He believed that the Porte was object. He believed that the Porte was keenly alive to the present necessity of repressing the excess committed by Turkish troops, if not to the humanitarian necessity of this uneasy task in the face of deliberate attempts to disturb public order. The policy of the British government was to aid Austria and Russia in introducing the elementary principles of sound government, which, for the present, constituted the best means of dealing with the situation.

### DEMANDS PUNISHMENT

Oxar D Z. rus Life of Man Who Killed tne Consul.

the Consul.

(i y Associated Press.)

ST. PETERBBURG, Aug. 10.—The Czar has domanded the exemplary punishment, not only of the murderer of the Russian consul at Monastir, who was killed last week by Turkish gendarmes, but of all the military and civil officials in any way responsible for the crime.

The assansination of the Russian consul at Monastir. M. Restikoviski, the second murder of a Russian consul official in Macedonia with a few montishas created indignation here.

According to the report made by the official now in charge of the Russian consulate, at Monastir, the murderer is a gendarme. The consul asked his name, because, in defiance of instructions, the gendarme did not salute him. The gendarm threupon fired several shots, mortally wounding the consul in the head and hip The horse drawing the carriage in which the consul was riding received two bullets and shots were also fired at the coachman.

### INTENSE INTEREST

Serious Situation is Further Aggravated

by Incident.

(By Associated Press.)

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 10.—The murder of M. Rostkovski, the Russian consul, has caused intense interest here and is the sole topic of conversation in the streets, cafes and public resorts. The incident is bound to aggravate the already serious situation in Macedonia, and it is felt that it will undoubtedly encourage the Bulgarians to support the incurrectionary movement, which is spreading rapidly, notably to the southward of Monastir.

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According to mail advices from Monastir, dated August 5th, the insurgents who recently occupied the little town of Krusnevo, twenty-three miles north of Monastir, numbered 99. They kined the garrison, consisting of 52 soldiers, dynamited and burned the government buildings and then holsted on a hill overlooking the town a red flag, bearing on one side a lion with the inseription "Death or liberty," and on the other side the words "Courage, brethren." The rebels were still in possession of the town when the letters were sent off.

### VILLAGES BURNED

Revolutionists Get Through Work Be-

Revolutionists Get Through Work Befre Troops Arrive,
(By Associated Press.)

BALONICA. Aug. 10.—It is officially reported that fifteen Turkish villages have
been burned by the revolutionists. Thero
were many victims. The Turkish troops
arrived too late to save the villagers,
Further fightling occurred yesterday near
Sorovitch, the Turkish troops coming into
collision at the village of Kailar with a
1 Die insurgent band.
Twenty-four Turkish battalions have
been ordered to proceed to the revolutionary districts in Macedonia from Anatolia.

### BEAUTIFUL GERMAN

A Brilliant Affair at the Rockbridge Alum Springs.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) (Special to the SPRINGS, Aug. 10.—The first german of the season, that much-talked-of event, took place Saturday evening, and a tremendous success it was. The large ball-room was artistically decorated, and presented a scene of great

evening and a tremendous success it was. The large ball-room was artistically decorated, and presented a scene of great beauty.

The german was beautifully led the property of the United States navy.

Among those dancing were; Miss Aline Armstrog, white and blue Paris gown with Mr. James B. Cabell; Mr. J. Tate Mason with Mrs. Anne Mayer, white lace, with Mr. Pendleton Pope; Miss Lula Oreen with Mr. Naihee Pegram Narsen, Miss Norvell Adams with Mr. Joseph Halley, Jr., Miss Prances Mayer, with Mr. M. Adams, Miss Ethel Schmelz with Mr. Lucien Patton, Miss Margaret Belmelz, exquisite hand-painted chiffon, with Mr. E. M. Hofmayer, Miss Ruby McCormick with Mr. John Cabell Mrs. Etrother Smith, Mrs. R. L. Powers With Mr. George Lewis, Other dancers were the Armstrophysical Companion of the Mrs. R. L. Powers, Mrs. R. L. Powers, Mrs. R. L. Powers, Mrs. A. H. Boyd, Dr. and Mrs. Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Norfleet, Mr. and Mrs. Steiner, Mr. and Mrs. Hongles Narsen, Mr. and Mrs. M. Charles Narsen, Mr. and Mrs. Absalom Waller; Messrs, Lippincott, Woolfolk, Mayer and Bailey.

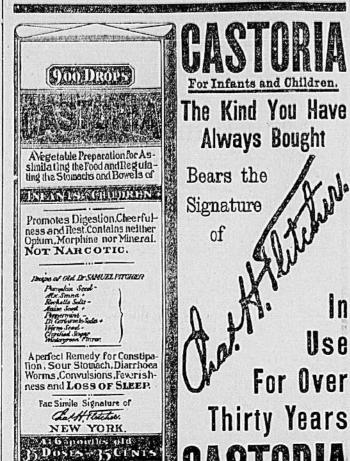
The Chaperones were: Mesdames Elaker, Jacob, Pope, Woolfolk, Armstrons, Doughter, Nelson, Adams and Guest.

### COLORED GIRL ASSAULTED

She Was First Poisoned-Her Race

Suspected. A colored girl, named Lucy Randolph, and whose age is said to be twelve years, was found by police onners of the Fast District about 10:30 last night at the corner of Fourteenth and Franklin Streets unconscious, and, as it afterwards developed, drugged with alcohol and morphine. She had been the victim of a criminal assault, and information has been obtained to the effect that the girl was assaulted by two young negroes.

She was taken by Dr. Sycle to the city hospital, where she is reported in a critical condition, indeed, according to the statement of the physician, she may die, and thus add murder to the dastardly crime of the perpetrators. A colored girl, named Lucy Randolph,



### TEXTILE OPERATIVES RETURN TO WORK

PHILADELPHIA, PA., Aug. 10.-It is PHILADELPHIA. PA., Aug. 10.—It is estimated that 10,000 operatives in the textile trad-reported for duty to-day at various mills, and a similar number, it is said, will resume work to-morrow. This is the first serious break in the textile workers strike, which has been in progress since June 1st. No conces were granted by the manufacturers

## EWEN UNDER FIRE OF DEFENSE COUNSEL

Lawyer for Jett and White Argue Against Capital

Punishment.

CYNTHIANA, KY., Aug. 10.-The thir teenth day of the trial of Curtis Jett and Thomas White, charged with the killing an argument for the defense by Judge W. r. Lafferty. He devoted much time to the estimony of Ewen, the chief witness for

Judge Lafferty, in conclusion, condemned Judge Lafferty, in conclusion, condemned capital punishment as not conforming to Christian conduct and sentiment. He was followed by Thomas Marcum, of Indian Territory, brother of the murdered man. He answered Lafferty's argument against capital punishment by quotations from the Bible, and proceeded to make an address to the jury of thrilling interest.

Interest. Ben. B. Golden followed Mar-Captain Ben. B. Golden followed Mar-cum. Golden was mercless to Ewen, the main witness of the prosecution.

# FINE ADDRESS

and thus add murder to the dastardly crime of the perpetrators.

Sergeant Kerse, who happened to be passing through the notorious section known as Lumpkins Bottom, found her. He secured information of two negro

# TRAGIC DEATH OF C. W. PLUNKETT

He Sends a Bullet Crashing Through His Own Brain.

The Funeral Here.

NEWPORT NEWS, VA., Aug. 10. With his mind disordered by a brood of unhappy vagaries, that followed in the train of dissipation, Charles Wesley Plunkett, foreman of the Times-Herald, nded his life at sunset yesterday afternoon, on the Casho grounds. shortly after 6 o'clock when Mr. Plunkett left his home and walked down leisurely to the Casino grounds. He had just been

left his home and walked down leisurely to the Casino grounds. He had just been talking to his wife and two little boys, and what passed between them is not known, although they were shown a pistol by him, and he refused to surrender it to his wife.

Mrs. Plunkett had no thought that he would do himself harm, as often before he had threatened to 'end it all," as he said, but neither his family nor his friends ever considered him seriously on this subject. Mr. Plunkett walked down to the Casino grounds and across it near to a clump of trees covering the ravine and the right of the base-ball park, at the foot of Twenty-ninth Street. Just before he reached the grove he threw himself upon the grass, with his head resting upon his left hand. Several people at a distance saw him draw the pistol from his pocket and hold it for a second high above his head. The sunlight glittered a second on the steel, and then the weapon was turned to his right temple and the bullet passed completely through his head. He had used a 38-calbre weapon and his death was instantaneous. Mr. Plunkett was born at Kernersville, N. C., and was thirty-three years of age. He was married and had two little boys about eight and six years of afe. He was a printer by trade, and two years ago He was married and had two little boys about eight and six years of a . He was a printer by trade, and two years ago came to the foremanship of the Times-Herald composing-room from the Richmond Leader. He had severed his connection with this paper about ten days ago and was preparing to go to Baltimore.

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TO PICKETT CAMP

Judge Christian Tells Eloquently of Virginia and North Carolina Soldiers.

Pickett Camp of Confederate Veterans held an enthusiastic meeting has ricket in their hall on North Seventh Street, Commander Winsten presiding. The announcement that Judge George L. Christian would make an address, and that a Confederate hold would sing the songs of the Southland suffleed to attract an audience that filled the hall. The programme, the rendition of which continued until middight, was enthusiastically received the various numbers on the subject of the Virginia and North Carolina troops in the Confederate service, in which he mentioned various commands enlisted from both States, and eules gized them for their gallantry and fully full service. The which he mentioned various commands enlisted from both States, and eules gized them for their gallantry and fully full service. The chore consisted of the not consisted of the old Confederate service, in which he mentioned various commands enlisted from both States, and eules gized them for their gallantry and fully full service. The chore consisted of the old Confederate service, in which he mentioned various commands enlisted from both States, and eules gized them for their gallantry and fully full service. The chore consisted of the old Confederate service, in which he mentioned various commands enlisted from both States, and eules gized them for their gallantry and fully full service. The chore consisted of the old Confederate sand some ladies and young peeple, and they made the bill." "A southern Girl." "Diskle," "Massa's in the Cold, Cold Ground" and others.

The entertainment was not complete without the singing of two come songs by Comrade Emanuel Francis, who rendered the selections in his inimitable style, delignating the audience. Allogether, it was a very enjoyable evening for all press.

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# CONSTANDINIDI IS

REMEMBER EAGLES' GRAND EXCURSION

To Norfolk to-morrow (Wednesday) 8:30

A. M. via Chesapeake and Ohio.

Faces suffer from exposure and need care. Protect, beautify your skin using Satin-Skin Cream and Satin-Skin Complexion Powder. 25c, Miller & Rhoads.

LONDON, Aug. 10.—Sir Francis Jeune, Mrs. and Mrs. William Owens Moore will all a will a member of the Divorce Court, to-day granted D. S. Constandinidi a divorce from his wife, a daughter of Stephen plexion Powder. 25c, Miller & Rhoads.

LOSS OF VITALITY is loss of the principle of life, and is early indicated the principle of life, and is early indicated principle of life, and is early indicated principle of life, and condurance. Hood's Barse, partial is the greatest vitaliser—it acts on all the organs and diminishing strength and endurance. Hood's Barse, on all the organs and diminishing strength and endurance. Hood's Barse, on the ground that Mrs. Constandinidi divorce suit raised the question of legality of Data divisions of le

## POPE PIUS THE WOMAN IS CROWNED

Marvelous Scene In St. Peter's Cathedral.

BEWILDERING COLORS

The Great Basilica, Popularly Supposed Never to Have Been Quite Full, Was Overflowing With Humanity-Beautiful Ceramonial.

ROME, August 10.-With the triple crown, emblematic of spiritual ecclesinatical and temporal sovereign ty resting upon his head Pope Pius X. Sunday stood rvealed to a vast multitude assembled in St. Peter's, the incarnation of the majesty and splendor of the Roman Catholic Church.

The coronation and enthronement of the Pontiff took place at a spot of especial sancitity to the faithful-at the shrine .. f St. Peter. Acclamations burst from tens of thousands of throats as the supreme head of the church, bent to receive the tiara, the visible and awe-compelling token of his authority as the Father of Kings, the rector of the faithful, the early vicar of Christ.

MARVELOUS SCENE IN ST. PETER'S.

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It is fifty-seven years since the Romans and Europe assisted at such a function in St. Peter's. The great basilica, popularly supposed never to have been quite full, was overflowing with humanity. The papal throne, a bewildering mixeure of gold, red and silver, was erected in front of the high altar, which was dressed in white. Upon it stood the famous silver gilt candlesticks and a magnificent crucifix. The altar was surmounted by a bald acchino, supported by four historic bronze pillars, taken from the parthenon. The cathedral was illuminated with twinkling lights, while the marble columns and walls rendered the color scheme more vivid. Overhead was the most magnificent dome in the world, up to which nificent dome in the world, up to which floated the harmony of the music of the

more vivid. Overhead was the most magnificent dome in the world, up to which
floated the harmony of the music of the
wonderful Sistine choir.

The central figure in the long and
splendid cortege that escorted the new
Pontiff to the scene of his coronation
and enoblement was Plus X. Lorne in
the sedia gestatoria. His heavy white
robes and the red and gold mitre were
worn without an effort, making a vivid
contrast to those memorable occasions
on which Pope Leo XIII. wore them, for
Leo seemed always unable to support
their weight.

PROCESSION OF THE PRELATES.
Over the Pontiff's head a canopy was
held by eight men, while the historic
ostrich feather fans, with peacock tips
gave a touch of barbaric splendor to
Western eyes.

Surrounding Pope Plus were the Noble
Guard in new uniforms and gleaming
helmets and carrying drawn swords,
while in front marched the cardinals, a
gorgeous bit of color with many handsome faces among them; the cardinal
bishops in their capes, the cardinal
bishops in their capes, the cardinal
priests, wearing chasubles, and the cardinal deacons in their, delmatics.

"SIC TRANSIT GLORIA"

A quaint ceremony was then carried
out. The master of the ceremonies knelt
three times before the Pontiff, ench time
lighting a handful of hemp which surmounted a silver torch, and as the flame
flashed and then died out he chanted
"Pater Sáncte, sic transit gloria mundi"
(Holy Father, thus, passeth away the
slory of the world). The procession then
proceeded, the Pope's face meanwhile illuminated by a smile. At the chapel of
the Sacrament there was another hait,
and His Holiness left the Sedia Gestatoria and prayed at the altar. On re-entering the chair he was carried to the chapel
of St. Gregory, where he officiated at a
mass' being assisted by Cardinals Macchi. ing the chair he was carried to the chapel of St. Gregory, where he officiated at a mass, being assisted by Cardinals Macchi, Di Pietro, Segna and Vannutelli. Then all the cardinals donned their silves copes and white mitres, and the Pope wa borne to the throne amid renewed accla mations and waving of handerchiefs, fans

borne to the throne amid renewed acclamations and waving of handerchiefs, fans and hats.

From the throne Pius X., surrounded by his suite, walked to the high altar, standing over the crypt of St. Peter, into which meanwhile Cardinal Macchi descended to pray. The appearance of the Pope in that elevated position called forth another burst of enthusiusm. The Pope then blessed the altar, and after saying the "Indulbentiam," the maniple, a symbol of the cord with which Christ was bound on his capture, was placed, with great ceremony, upon the Pope's arm. At the same time prayers for the coronation were recited by Cardinals Vannutelli, Mocenni, Agilardi and Satolli Cardinal Macchi placed upon the shoulders of the Pope the pontifical palling and attached it with three golder jueseled pins, saying:

cardinal maccal places upon the should and attached it with three goldes jeweled plins, saying:

"Receive this sacred pallium as a symbol of the fullness of the pontifical office, in honor of Almighty God, the most glorious Virgin Mary. His mother; the blessed Apostles, St. Peter and St. Paul, and the Holy Roman Catholic Church."

CROWNING EVENT.

The Holy Father then walked to the shrine of St. Peter for the culminating rites of the extremely fatiguing ceremony. The whole Sacred College gathered about the Pope singing Palestrina's "Corona Aurea Sueper Caput Ejes," while the choir burst forth into song. Cardinal Macchi then recited the "Pater Noster" and offered the following prayer:

"Omnipotent and ever eternal God, dignitary of the clergy and author of sovereignty, grant Thy servant, Plus X., grace to fruitfully govern Thy church so that he, who by Thy clemency becomes and is crowned as Father of Kings and rector of all the faithful, through Thy wise disposition may govern well."

"Amen," rang out from all corners of the Cathedral, from the choir, the people, the clergy and the patricians.

Cardinal Deacon Segna then raised the Pontiff's mitre, and Senior Cardinal Deacon Macchi placed on the venerable white head the Triple Crown. At this moment the church was filled with the ringing of bells, the blowing of silver trumpets, the triumphant strains of the chor and the acchamations of the militude, which could no longer be repressed.

### Hainly About People ‡

Marie Gordon Attempts Sulcide in a Chicago Hotel.

LITTLE CHANCE FOR LIFE

Fired Two Pistol Shots Into Her Breast and Can Hardly Recover-Despondency Was Cause of the Rash Act.

(By Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, ILL., August 10 .- With the chances for recovery decidedly against her, the young woman who attempted to take her own life in her apartments at the Auditorium yesterday steadfastly refused until late to-day to make known her identity. Her condition at noon was pronounced by the attending physicians

to show, no improvement. When told that she had but a slight chance for life, and urged to clear away

chance for life, and urged to clear away
the mystery that surrounds her, she responded by asking to be allowed to write.
As soon as the doctors will permit she
will be given the desiral opportunity,
and through her letters it is hoped her
relations can be located.

Mrs. Henry Glover is the name under
which she registered at the hotel, and
her home Montgomery, Ala., from which
city a telegram was received last night.
A telephone message was received it
the Auditorium from a man in Montgomery early to-day, requesting permission to speak with Mrs. Glover. When
told that she was not able to answer the
telephone, the man at once rang off.

ston to speak with Mrs. Glover. When told that she was not able to answer the telephone, the man at once rang off.

From information gathered by the police the woman is believed to have been formerly Miss Mary Gordon, of Montgomery, Ala., and her husband a resident of New Orleans. Through a later telephone message from Montgomery, from a woman giving her name as Catherine Hayes, the authorities identified the would-be suicide, who is believed to be dying, as a niece of Mrs. Carter B. Harrison, of Murfressboro, Tenn. The message was to the effect that the woman was the daughter of Evanda Lyttle, of Murfressboro, and granddaughter of General William Lyttle.

Late this afternoon the woman made the following statement to the police: "My right name is Marie Gordon. I live at No. 223 Smythe Street, Montgomery, Ala. I came to Chicago on July 9, 1903, and registered at the Auditorium Hotel. On August 7th. in company with W. 18. Lyttle, we visited a number of resorts, at the last one, of which my friend became engaged in a quarrel with a card man. "I stepped into the cab which my friend had engaged, and as I did so I heard a pistol shot. W. R. Lyttle then left the house, and jumped on the cab and drove away.

After going some distance we left

the house, and jumped on the cab and drove away.

After going some distance we left the cab on the street, and I proceeded to the above named hotel. While very despondent, I toot the revolver which was in my satchel and shot myself twice in the left breast.

"I came to Chicago to kill myself.
"MARIE GORDON."

Said to be Prominent. Said to be Prominent.

(By Associated Press.)

MONTGOMERY, ALA., Aug. 10.— Mrs.

Henry Glover, wha attempted suicide in

Chicago last night, had formerly lived in

this city under the name of Marle Gordon.

Her real name is said to have been Mary

Lyttle. She was from Murfreesboro,

Tenn., where, it is said, her parents are

prominent. She left Montgomery for

Charlotte two weeks ago.

Was Miss Marie Lyttle.

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(By Associated Press.)

LOUISVILLE, KY. Aug. 10.—Through
distant relatives in Louisville the true
identity of the young woman who attempted to commit sulcide at the Auditorium Hotel, in Chicago, has been learned. The woman's maiden name was Miss
Marle Lyttle, of Chicago, Some years
ago she married a Mr. Gordon. After her
marriage she lived at Nashville, Tenn.,
and Montgomery, Ala., going from the
latter place to Chicago some weeks ago,
Thy Lyttle family at Murfreesboro is a
large one, many of them being descendants of General William Lyttle.

Brither Arrested.

(By Associated Press.)
MONTGOMERY, ALA., August 10.—Under Instructions from Superintendent of Police O'Neil, of Chicago, William Lyttle, brother of Mamie Lyttle, alias Marie Gorbander of Mamie Lyttle, alias Marie Gorband orother of smaller lyttle, mans and Godon, was arrested here to-night. The instructions from Chicago state that Lyttle is wanted there on the charge of assault with intent to murder.

The young man denies having any knowledge of the shooting of Marie Gorians and arrest to return loc Chicago with

don, and agrees to return to Chicago wit out formal requisition papers. Lytt made no effort to conceal his identity

# ELMER GOULDMAN

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) LYNCHBURG, VA., August 10.-A telegram received by relatives of Elmer Gouldman here to-night stated that he had been shot at Farmville. No particulars whatever were given, nor whether the wound was serious or not. Telegraph office at Farmville closing at 11 nothing office at Farmville closing at 11 nothing nothing else could be learned. His brother leaves for Farmville, on early morning train.

### FRANK CECIL STUCK **CLOSELY TO STORY**

(By Associated Press.)
GEORGETOWN, KY., Aug. 10.—Frank
Cecil, the Bell county witness, who gave
strong testimony against Caleb Powers
before adjournment of court Saturday
afternoon, was called for cross-examination when court opened to-day. He held
close to his story on direct exemination, and said the reason he surendered
was that he grew tired of doging about
over the country to avoid arrest and of
raising his child under an assumed name.

### WILL INVESTIGATE COLLAPSE THOROUGHLY

(fly Associated Press.)

PHILADEDPHIA, PA., August 10.—
Mayor Weaver to-day personally interested himself in the investigation into the cause of the collapse of the promenade at the National League base-ball grounds, which resulted in the death of nine spectators and serious injuries to nearly 100 others.

The Mayor, accompanied by Director of Public Safety Smythe, visited the ball park to-day. The Bureau of Building Inspection, under orders from Mayor Weaver, to-day appointed a special committee of expert builders to examine the broken promenade.

Robert King died at a hospital to-day from his injuries. King is the ninth death, as a result of the accident.

# CATARRH DESTROYS THE

Was Miserable—Could Not Stand Up or Walk—Pe-ru-na Cured.

Many Persons Have Catarrh and Don't Know It.

Mr. James M. Powell, 633 Proost Street, Kansas City, Mo., Vice Grand of I. O. O. F., of Cherryville, Kan., writes:

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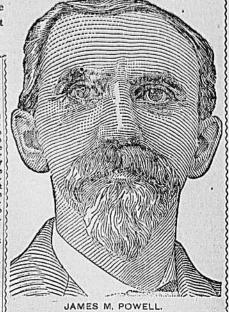
"About four years ago I suffered with a severe catarrh of the bladder, which caused continued irritation and pain. I was miserable and could not stand up or walk for any length of time without extreme wearlness and pain. I began taking Peruna and it greatly relieved me, and in eleven weeks I was completely cured and felt like a new man."—James M. Powell.

Hundreds of Dollars Spent In Vain.

Mr. Cyrus Hershman Sheridan, Ind., writes:

Sheridan, Ind., writes:

"Two years ago I was a sick man. Catarrh had settled in the pelvic organs, making life a burden and giving me little hope of recovery. I spent hundreds of dollars in medicine, which did me no good. I was persuaded by a friend to try Peruna. I took it two weeks without much improvement, but I kept on with it, and soon began to get well and strong very fast. Within two months I was cured, and have been well ever since. I am a strong advocate of Peruna."—C. Hershman.
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Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Markey and the please to give you his valuable advice gratts.

liver and other pelvic organs, simply Address Dr. Hartman, President of The because it cures catarrh wherever lo- Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

# TYPOS IN WASHINGTON

Forty-ninth Session Begins in National Capital.

ATTENDANCE IS LARGE

Secretary Cortelyou Sat Beside the Presiding Officer-Era of Peace

May Come from Era of Organization.

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., August 10.—The forty-ninth session of the International Typographical Union began here to-duy with a large majority of the 315 delegates present. Chairman Whitehead, of the local Committee on Arrangements, presided. By his side sat Secretary Cortelyou, of the Department of Commerce and Labor. Commissioner McParland and Willis Moore, chief of the Weather Bureau, made addresses of welcome.
Mr. Moore spoke of the President of the United States as a friend of labor, and congratulated the convention upon that fact.

that fact. hat fact.

President James M. Lych, in response, expressed the opinion that in a few years the union would number 100,000 members. The report of President Lynch was pre-sented to the assembled delegates. He says the past year has been a notable one, not only for the International Typographi-cal Union, but for organized labor in

cal Union, but for organized labor in general.

"The spirit of organization," he says, "has prevailed in trades and callings hitherto almost unknown, while the older organizations have made steady progress and gained in membership."

The report expresses regret at the tendency on the part of trade unionists to make light of the unions of employers, and questions whether it would not be better to display a tolerant spirit toward them in the hope of establishing friendly relations, "Surely," he says, "we cannot deny to others the right which we claim—the right to organize—and it is not aside fro mthe probabilities that through this era of organization may come the era of pence."

The report refers to the architection

The report refers to the arbitration agrement with the American Newspaper Publishers' Association, which has been in force for over two years, and says that all but two disputes have been settled in a fairly satisfactory manner, and that there is a much better general feeling existing between the two organizations.

# SHOT AT FARMVILLE CATASTROPHE ON UNDERGROUND ROAD

(By Associated Press.)

PARIS, Aug. 10.—An awful catastrophe occurred last evening on the Metropolitan Rallway, which runs mostly underground, in which many persons lost their lives. Eleven bodies have been recovered and the search continues. One of the trains broke at Menlimentant Station, which is in a poor and populous section of the city. This train was promptly emptied and the train which followed was ordered to push it to the repairing sheds. On the way these two trains caught fire, but the employes succeeded in escaping. Meanwhile a crowded train reached Les Courionnes, the preceding station, and the officials seeing smoke pouring out of the tunnel, gave the farm. A panic ensued, the passengers struggling to escape from the station. Amid the thick smoke many attempted to return, but they were suffocated.

The officials seemed to have lost their heads and are unable to say how many passengers went out. The firemen for several hours were unable to enter the tunnel on account of the smoke, which poured out in black clouds.

Meanwhile tens of thousands of auxious people gathered about the station. All the police and fire authorities were on the spot and the excitement was intense. Finally the firemen succeeded in flooding the burning mass and shortly afterward they were able to enter the tunnel. They brought up the corpses of five men and two women, all belonging to the working class.

There are believed to be many more bodies in the tunnel.

East Main Street.

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# WHY CHEMICAL SECURITIES FELL

Fight Made on Company, Occasion Being Legitimate

Effort to Borrow Money. In the present state of the New York tunity for the maker of rumors, and naturally there have been many rumors here and here and elsewhere concerning

the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company.

can be ascertained are about as follows: "The Virginia Carolina-Chemical Co., dces a large business and needs a great deal of money to carry on its affairs. It sells it fertilizers on credit, its bills being well ecured, but not payable until some time between November and December, when the cotton crop has come in. The company usually borrows money to purchase its raw material either by issuing its own bills payable, or by discounting its bills receivable, and up to a short time ago this purpose and in this way. Sometimes the company has large floating debts, for the company has large toothing actors, try
the reason that it has made expenditures
in purchasing raw material, and has to
wait until the crops are harvested before
collecting its bills receivable. This year
it had to borrow more money than usual,
because, instead of manufacturing 7,
500,000 tons of fertilizers, as in 1942, it has
manufactured and sold 10,000,000 tons. Ordinarily it would have had no difficulty
in borrowing all the money needed, for
the company has a good business, but at
this particular time the banks were very
careful about making loans, and many of
them did not care to discount commercial paper. The facts got out that the
company was on the market for money
and under the peculiar conditions prevailing on Wail Street, the most was made
of it. The company's stocks were volently
attacked and prices crumbled away. Added
to this fact were all sorts of absurd rumors, enough to destroy the credit, if 224
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But the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company has a splendid business, and it has good friends in banking circles, it is said that Mr. J. P. Morgan came to its rescue as soon as the situation with lad before him, and agreed to negotiate a loan of \$5,000,000. It is not to be presumed that Mr. Morgan lent this money himself, but that he made the loan on his own account, and then apportioned it out to several banks with which he is associated. At any rate the company got the money through Mr. Morgan's good offices, and it is said that the sum borrowed is sufficient to take care of all of the floating obligations and to give the company all the capital it needs to carry on its business.

As to whether or not the company wiff

afterward they were able to enter the tunnel. They brought up the corpses of five men and two women, all belonging to the working class.

There are believed to be many more bodies in the tunnel.

Fruit Badly Damaged.

(By Associated Press.)

KINGSTON, JAMAICA, Aug. 10.—The trail of a hurricane, moving over the Antilles, struck the eastern end of the Island of Jamaica this afternoon and did great damage to the banana property of the West Indies Fruit Company and the Jamaica Fruit Company. The full extent of the injury is still unknown.